

IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend the claims as follows:

1. (original) Imaging module (1), comprising:

- an image sensor chip (10);
- a lens (20), wherein the lens (20) and the image sensor chip (10) are movable with respect to each other;
- first retaining means (54, 82) for retaining the lens (20) with respect to the image sensor chip (10) at a first distance; and
- second retaining means (53, 82) for retaining the lens (20) with respect to the image sensor chip (10) at a second distance.

2. (original) Imaging module (1) according to claim 1, wherein the retaining means (53, 54, 82) are designed such as to be brought in a deactivated state by a movement of the lens (20) and the image sensor chip (10) in an inward direction with respect to each other, and in an activated state by a movement of the lens (20) and the image sensor chip (10) in an outward direction with respect to each other.

3. (currently amended) Imaging module (1) according to claim 1-~~or~~ 2, further comprising positioning means (32, 80) for automatically activating the second retaining means (53, 82) when the first retaining means (54, 82) are deactivated, and vice versa.

4. (currently amended) Imaging module (1) according to ~~any of~~
~~claims 1-3~~claim 1,
wherein the image sensor chip (10) is located at an under portion (10, 30, 40, 50) of the imaging module (1),
wherein the lens (20) is held by an upper portion (20, 60, 70, 80) of the imaging module (1),
wherein the under portion (10, 30, 40, 50) and the upper portion (20, 60, 70, 80) are movable with respect to each other,
wherein the under portion (10, 30, 40, 50) is provided with first engaging means (52), and
wherein the upper portion (20, 60, 70, 80) is provided with second engaging means (82) for engaging the first engaging means (52).

5. (original) Imaging module (1) according to claim 4, wherein the upper portion (20, 60, 70, 80) is provided with upper protrusions (82), and wherein the under portion (10, 30, 40, 50) comprises a recess (52) for receiving the upper protrusions (82).

6. (original) Imaging module (1) according to claim 5, wherein the upper protrusions (82) have a triangular shape.

7. (currently amended) Imaging module (1) according to claim 5-~~or~~ 6, wherein the recess (52) in the under portion (10, 30, 40, 50) comprises long slots (54) and short slots (53).

8. (original) Imaging module (1) according to claim 7, wherein upper sides (55, 56) of the slots (53, 54) are inclined.

9. (currently amended) Imaging module (1) according to ~~any of claims 5-8~~claim 5, wherein the under portion (10, 30, 40, 50) comprises lower protrusions (32) which are positioned such as to contact the upper protrusions (82) of the upper portion (20, 60, 70, 80) of the imaging module (1).

10. (original) Imaging module (1) according to claim 9, wherein the lower protrusions (32) have a triangular shape.

11. (currently amended) Imaging module (1) according to ~~any of claims 5-10~~claim 5, wherein the upper portion (20, 60, 70, 80) comprises a rotatable rotor (80) supporting the upper protrusions (82).

12. (currently amended) Imaging module (1) according to ~~any of~~
~~claims 1-11~~claim 1, wherein the first distance corresponds to a
focal distance of the lens (20), and wherein the second distance is
smaller than the first distance.

13. (currently amended) Imaging module (1) according to ~~any of~~
~~claims 1-12~~claim 1, further comprising pressing means (90) for
pressing the lens (20) and the image sensor chip (10) in an outward
direction with respect to each other, the pressing means preferably
comprising a helical spring (90).

14. (currently amended) Cellular phone, comprising an
imaging module according to ~~any of claims 1-13~~claim 1.